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WM. R. KENNADY.

Topeka, Kans.; June 28th, 1884.

[First published in the official city paper July 23, 1884.]

Ordinance No. 1727.

AN ORDINANCE creating sewer district dis-trict number Seventeen in the city of Topeka, Be it ordained by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Topeka;

the City of Topeka:

Section 1. That the following described ferratory situated in the city of Topeka, towit:
All that part of the city of Topeka bounded as follows: Commencing at a point at the center of the intersection of Seventh and Lincoin street, thence southerly along the center of Lincoin street to the center of Eighth avenue; thence westerly along the center of Eighth avenue; thence westerly along the center of Eighth avenue; thence westerly along the center of the first alicy west; thence northerly along the center of the east and west alley; thence westerly along the center of the east and west alley to the center of Lane street; thence northerly along the center of Lane street; thence northerly along the center of Lane street forly-seven and one-half feet; thence easterly between the north and south halves of lot No. 28s to the center of the north and south aliey; thence northerly along the center of the aliey in the center of seventh street; thence easterly along the center of the street to the center of Lincoin street and the place of beginning, together with the right of way for a sewer outlet to connect with sewer in sewer district number sevent district to be known as sewer district number Seventeen.

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Passed the council July 16th, 1894.

Approved July 24th, 1894.

T. W. HARRISON, Mayor.

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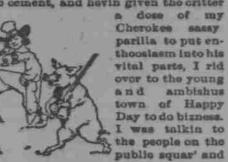
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Hevin got the bind legs of my grasshopper glued on in proper shape with my Magic cement, and havin given the critter



over to the young and ambishus town of Happy Day to do bimess. I was talkin to the people on the public squar' and THE MAN WITH THE seekin to arouse

PERFORMIN HOG. an interest when a feller who had jest cum into town with a performin hog and was tharfore jeal'us of me pushes his way to the front and sea to me:

"Stranger, will that 'ere Magic cement glue a couple of wings to my shoulders, that I may ris up and fly fur, fur from this?"

"I hain't sayin she won't," sex I, "but I hain't givin no guarantee." "And about that Cherokee sassyparilly," he goes on, smilin as sweet as a baby, "does it remove corns and bunyons, ours consumpshun, restore lost speerits, invigorate the liver and take the place of

whisky, quinine and mustard plasters?" "I wouldn't go fur to say she'll do all that," sez I, wonderin what sort of a fusa the critter was itchin fur, "but if she don't put more ambishun into yer soul than a bar'l o' dried apples I'll cheerfully refund the money. She's a sassyparilly what gits right up and hustles fur 84 bours in a day, but I hain't claimin she'll make Cherokee an earthly paradise."

"And, stranger," he goes on as he begins to prance around a lectle, "whyfor that grasshopper in a bottle? What's that inseck bin 'a' doin agin yer rights or the laws of this yere territory that he should be kept bottled up all by hisself!"

"He's my livin proof," sez I, lookin over the crowd and seein they was all agin me. "I'm goin to take him outer the bottle and break him in two and cement him together agin. It'll sorter depress his specrits and make him homesick, and thurfore I'll foller it with a dose of my Cherokee sassyparilly to cheer him

"But I'm agin it!" he yells as he gallops around. * Everything in Cherokee has rights, and durn my hide if I'm goin to stand by and see an inseck walked on fur to show off some critter's peartness!" "But be hain't doin no kickin hisself,"

sez I, with the power of truth on my side. "On the contrary, he's a feelin it his cheerful dooty to assist me in convincin the public that the varchews of my 25 miles proparashuns

But the man with the perform-, hog had the 'owd with blin, and they fell on B cut short my career. I got away

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with the grasshopper, but they was kickin the enthoosiasm outer my FUR THE TOWN OF PILsassyparilly and GRIM's ROOST. the fraternal specits outer my Magic coment when I left. I was lettin the ols cavuse her his head fur the town of Pilgrim's Roost when I cums along to whar a critter was stakin off half an acre of ground. I stopped and watched him fur

awhile, and then I sez: "Stranger, I begs yer pardin."

"What fur!" sez he, lookin up fur the fust time. "I begs yer pardin fur axin a question which hain't none o' my bizness. If ye hain't too perticklerly occupied, would ye mind tellin me what the half acre is fur?" "Victims!" yolls he, beginnin to amble

around and work his ears. "Whose victims, if it hain't agin good manners?" "Mine!"

"They'll cum right along yere on foot and on hosses and mewls!" "Stranger," sez I, smiling as bewtifully as I could, "then I must take it that ye ar' layin out a private graveyard?"

"Whar ye goin to git 'em?"

"I ar'!" he yells as he jumps up and cracks his heels together. "Is it to be all yer own?" "All my own!"

"Wanl, it's sich industries as helps build up a new kentry and adds to its charms. Thar's room out yere fur a thousand enterprisin critters like ye, and I wish we had 'em. Ar' that yer widder down thar by the dugout?"

"My widder!

Hain't ye about 30 years too soon?" "Mebbe I ar' ON A BUN FOR HIS and mebbe not. FAMILY DEGOUT. How yo had any partickler fuss with any pertickler var-

offered him."-Washington Star. mint around yere since ye staked out?" "Jest one fuss with one varmint. He was a reptile who thought he owned the creek below. I shot at him, but he got away. I wanted his karkass fur my private graveyard, but was disappointed. How ye seen him, stranger?"

"I'm a-believin I hev," sez L "Scuss me while I git outer range, fur he's a-lyin on that knoll over thar and has the drap on ye! Before ye go mebbe ye'd like to pint out the pertickler spot on this half acre whar ye'd like to repose fur the next thousand y'ars!"

fur his fam'ly dugout, 40 rods away, but be hadn't made six jumps when he lay down and was no more. His wife cum runnin up, and the shooter cum loads along, and arter the three of us had gazed at the late deceased fur awhile the woman

inquare: "Which one o' ye critters popped over my ole man so sudden?"

"I hev that honor, ma'am," ses the stranger as he lifts his hat and bows almost to the ground.

"What did yo go to do it fur?" "Fur to give his private graveyard a boom, ma'am. I didn't want to see sich an enterprisin kuss make a fatture of his agricultural speckulashun for want of e fust plant."

"Wan!," sex she arter a bit and lookin s leetle more cheerful, "I've got seven strappin big sons, and every one of 'em has got a gun and knows how to shute. In course some of 'em will call and an fur explanashuns."

"Sartinly, ma'am, sartinly," be sunti in'ly replies. 'I perfeckly understand you feelin's about it. It took me seven y'are to find the feller who killed my ole dad, but I waited on him. Is this any o' yes fuss, stranger?" he sez as he turns to me.

"Nary a bit," see L "In course my sympathies go out more or less to ards the widder in this hour of darkness, but not sufficiently fur any more shootin. I'm bound fur the town o' Pligrim's Roost to sell my Magic coment and Cherokee many parilly. Make no mistake. One mends the fam'ly crockery and sich, and the t'other arouses the enthocelarm of the

vital specrits." "Kin that same sassyparilly aroose the vital specrits of my ole man yere?" asks

the widder. "I hain't sayin she would, ma'am," I replies, "bekase his vital specits her fled. and thar hain't nuthin fur the snasyparilly to grip on to. If he'd only taken a does afore he started fur the dugous, things mought hey bin different, I'm sorry,

ma'am, stremely sorry, but he"--"Ob, that's all right. I allus knowed he'd go this way, as he was nightlighted and powerfully keerless."

"Guess we'll jog along together," see the stranger to me as he got ready. "And ye'll scuse me, ma'am, fur not stoppin to the funeral. I've got a heap on my mind jest now and couldn't my nuthin to console ye anyhow. Gimme a decentish show on them seven sons o' yers, will yes I mean don's send 'em all a-campin on my trail to once. Good day to ye, ma'am. I'll be lookin fur to see yer ole man's head board next time I ride this way!" AUSTIN KEENS.

Maker and Made.

A remarkable argument is said to have been once made by a German adventurar who was lecturing in London, his thuns being the great glory of mechanics as a

I tell you w'st," announced this learned gentleman to an interested and amused audience, "de ting dat is made to more superior as de maker. I shall show you how it is mit some tings.

"Subbose, now, dat I make de round wheel on de coach. Ver' well. Dat whool roll 500 mile! An me-I cannot roll one single leetle mile! Subbose I am de gooper, an I make de big barrel for to hold de sauerkraut. Das

barrel he hold gallon an ton! An me-1

cannot hold more as two, tree quart, mula

friends-not more as two, true quart! His audience evidently saw the point, to judge from their applause, and the lectur-er, beaming with satisfaction at his own powers of argument, proceeded to other branches of his subject .- Youth's Com-

Pose.

"As you like," she observed, not without a tincture of regret in her manner, but I am sure you will be sorry"-She reached for her kodak.

His was the fierceness of desperation.

exclaimed, "or not at all."

You must take me just as I am," he

For an instant only she contemplated

-- 'that you didn't look pleasantse and hold your chin just a triffe higher."

-Detroit Tribune. English as She is Spoke. "Do se rain come down from se clouds or up from se ground?" saked the Franch-

"Down from the clouds, of course," answered the American. "What put the foolish idea into your head that it came up from the ground?" "I just hear one of your countrymen

say he expect a shower to come up soun." -New York Press.

An American Father, Neighbor-Now that you her succeeded in givin y'r sons and daughters a col-lege education, what are ye goin to do

been thinkin I'd better move out of town so I won't diagrace 'em.—New York Weekly. Application of the Principle. Mother-Johnny! Johnny! What are you hitting that little boy for? Johnny-'Cause the boy that lives next

Mr. Wayback-Waal, I dunno, but I've

friend of mine. I'm goin to git aven with somebody fur it, by cracky!-Chlcago Tribuno.

door to him's been makin faces at a

What He Lowed. Bingo-My wife is putting up some brandled penches this year. Castleton-Are you fond of thom? Bingo-I don't care so much for the

penches, but I appreciate the spirit in which she works. New York Sun. Utterly Discournging.

"These is terrible hard times," said Meandering Mike. "You bet they is," replied Plonding Pete, "A feller can't go nowhere looking for work nowadays without hovin some

What He Loved. Bingo-My wife is putting up some brandied peaches this year. Castleton-Are you fond of them?
Bingo-I don't care so much for the

peaches, but I appreciate the spirit in which she works.-New York Sun. Unfinitiering, but Verneteun.

The Facetious Grandps-And why. Tommy, do you wish me very many happy raturns of my birthday? His Grandson, Tommy-'Cause on your orthdays you gimme authin, - Chiango He hosted a hoot and started on a run | Tribuna.